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Cities and Towns in Park County

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Emigrant ♦ Gardiner ♦ Jardine ♦ Livingston ♦ Miner
Pray ♦ Silver Gate ♦ Springdale ♦ Wilsall

The most current county-by-county information can be found in our quarterly publication *Employment and Labor Force Trends*. And most of our information is on the Internet at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/lmi/lmi.htm>. In addition, we'll do our best to provide information in accessible format, on request, in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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Park County

Located in southcentral Montana, Park County is Montana's 12th most populous with 14,484 residents, according to the 1990 Census.

Livingston, the county seat, is the state's 11th largest city with a population of 6,701. According to the *Montana Almanac*, by authors Andrea Merrill and Judy Jacobson, the county was established in 1887 and named after Yellowstone National Park because of its proximity to the area. The authors add Livingston was named after Crawford, Charles or Johnson Livingston, three former directors of Northern Pacific Railroad.

The city is a ranching and railroad area and is the original and only year-round entrance to Yellowstone National Park. The Yellowstone River flows through the beautiful Paradise Valley and into Livingston, providing fishing and floating opportunities. The city is at the crossroads of Interstate 90 and U.S. Highway 89.

According to the U.S. Bureau of the Census, median income for Park County households in 1989 was \$22,658. The county is 2,666.7 square miles in area; 2,656.2 square miles in land area and 10.5 in inland water area.

County residents experience the four distinct seasons. Average monthly temperatures range from a minimum of 8.0 degrees above in January to a maximum of 82.0 above in July. According to the *Montana Almanac*, the annual precipitation in 1995 was 15.64 inches and the length of the growing season 103 days. And the average annual frost-free days is 116 days.

Park County Population

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

Area	7/1/98 Estimate	7/1/97 Estimate	4/1/90 Census	% Change '90 to '98	% Change '90 to '97
Montana	880,453	878,730	799,065	10.2%	10.0%
Park County	15,829	16,054	14,484	9.3%	10.8%
Clyde Park*	Not Available	Not Available	282	Not Available	Not Available
Livingston*	Not Available	Not Available	6,701	Not Available	Not Available
Yellowstone National Park*	Not Available	Not Available	52	Not Available	Not Available

Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT 59620, 406-444-2896.
*Revisions will be available in August 1999.

PLEASE NOTE: Because of time and budget constraints, we are only able to update our county flyers periodically. Individual tables are updated on a more frequent basis. You can call us if you'd like the most current information for a particular county. The **Annual Averages for County Employment By Industry** are updated annually, usually in June. The **Top Employers** are updated annually. **Per Capita Income** statewide is usually released late spring and county data around August each year. **Population data for Montana** is usually released in March and county data may be released at a different time. The **Annual Average Labor Force** information is benchmarked annually and numbers available before March. The other tables contain Census information and will be updated every 10 years. You can also look for more current information on our website listed on the front of this publication.

1998 New Businesses by Industry Park County

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58	Eating & Drinking Places	4
79	Amusement & Recreation Services	4
17	Special Trade Contractors	4
59	Miscellaneous Retail Trade	4
7	Agricultural Services	3
72	Personal Services	2
50	Durable Goods-Wholesale Trade	2
57	Furniture & Home Furnishings	2
83	Social Services	2
75	Auto-Repair Services	2
73	Business Services	2
80	Health Services	1
84	Museums, Art Galleries, & Botanical & Zoological Gardens	1
1	Agricultural Production-Crops	1
2	Agricultural Production-Livestock & Animal Specialties	1
56	Apparel & Accessory Stores	1
55	Auto Dealers-Gasoline Service Stations	1
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45	Transportation By Air	1
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	Total	85

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Third Quarter 1998 Unemployment Insurance Information.

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Annual Average Labor Force For Park County				
Year	Civilian Labor Force	Em- ployed	Unem- ployed	Unem- ployment Rate
1970	4,872	4,646	226	4.6%
1971	4,964	4,682	282	5.7%
1972	5,025	4,701	324	6.4%
1973	5,504	5,204	300	5.5%
1974	5,630	5,291	339	6.0%
1975	5,330	4,927	403	7.6%
1976	5,570	5,271	299	5.4%
1977	5,564	5,198	366	6.6%
1978	5,835	5,488	347	5.9%
1979	5,942	5,624	318	5.4%
1980	5,731	5,323	408	7.1%
1981	5,977	5,480	497	8.3%
1982	6,232	5,555	677	10.9%
1983	5,864	5,241	623	10.6%
1984	6,638	6,139	499	7.5%
1985	6,770	6,244	526	7.8%
1986	6,407	5,829	578	9.0%
1987	5,927	5,426	501	8.5%
1988	5,912	5,418	494	8.4%
1989	5,970	5,514	456	7.6%
1990	7,703	7,288	415	5.4%
1991	8,094	7,562	532	6.6%
1992	8,379	7,866	513	6.1%
1993	9,512	9,108	404	4.2%
1994	9,913	9,519	394	4.0%
1995	10,034	9,567	467	4.7%
1996	10,398	9,902	496	4.8%
1997	10,462	9,927	535	5.1%
1998	10,651	10,064	587	5.5%

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Office of Research & Analysis (1999 Benchmark).

Summary of Major Occupational Categories By Sex 1990 Census-Equal Employment Opportunity Data Civilian Labor Force-All Persons			
Occupation	Total	Male	Female
Total	6,835	3,767	3,068
Managerial and Professional Specialty Occupations	1,346	674	672
Executive, Administrative and Managerial Occupations	596	357	239
Professional Specialty Occupations	750	317	433
Technical, Sales and Administrative Support Occupations	1,552	476	1,076
Technicians and Related Support Occupations	116	58	58
Sales Occupations	564	247	317
Administrative Support Occupations, Including Clerical	872	171	701
Service Occupations	1,126	294	832
Private Household Occupations	71	5	66
Protective Service Occupations	46	39	7
Service Occupations, Except Protective and Household	1,009	250	759
Farming, Forestry, Fishing	639	512	127
Precision Production, Craft and Repair Occupations	1,105	982	123
Mechanics and Repairers	332	320	12
Construction Trade	603	544	59
Extractive Occupations	41	41	0
Precision Production Occupations	129	77	52
Operators, Fabricators and Laborers	1,047	820	227
Machine Operators, Assemblers and Inspectors	344	219	125
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	355	329	26
Handlers, Equipment Cleaners, Helpers and Laborers	348	272	76
Unemployed, No Recent Civilian Work Experience	20	9	11

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Resources

⇒ Chambers of Commerce:

Gardiner Chamber, P. O. Box 81, Gardiner, MT 59030, 406-848-7971
Livingston Chamber, 208 W. Park, Livingston, MT 59047, 406-222-0850

⇒ Department of Labor and Industry

Livingston Job Service
228 S. Main, Livingston, MT 59047, 406-222-0520

Montana Department of Labor & Industry's Office of Research & Analysis Publications

For information on employment by industry, new businesses, labor market information, profile of the Montana worker, job projections to the year 2006 and hourly pay by occupation, contact the office at any of the numbers listed on the front of this publication or check out our Internet website at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/lmi/lmi.htm>.

⇒ Housing Costs:

Park County Economic Development Corporation, 120 W. Callender,
P. O. Box 606, Livingston, MT 59047, 406-222-7227

⇒ Internet:

Montana Job Service home page for job listings at <http://jsd.dli.mt.gov/>
Cities and towns of Clyde Park, Cooke City, Emigrant, Gardiner, Livingston, Pray, Silver Gate, Springdale and Wilsall Home Pages—Use the Search Utilities on the Internet to find home pages for Montana cities.

⇒ Montana Motor Vehicle Division:

Drivers' Licensing
Livingston—City-County Complex, 406-222-4160

⇒ Newspaper:

Livingston Enterprise, P. O. Box 665, Livingston, MT 59047,
406-222-2000

⇒ Public Library:

Livingston-Park County Public Library, 228 W. Callender St.,
Livingston, MT 59047-2618, 406-222-0862

⇒ Superintendent of Schools, Kindergarten through 12th Grade:

Arrowhead Elementary, P. O. Box 37, Pray, MT 59065, 406-333-4353
Cooke City Elementary, P. O. Box 1070, Cooke City, MT 59020,
406-838-2471
Gardiner Public Schools, P. O. Box 26, Gardiner, MT 59030,
406-848-7261
Livingston Public Schools, 132 S. B St., Livingston, MT 59047,
406-222-0861
Pine Creek Elementary, 2575 East River Road, Livingston, MT 59047,
406-222-0992
Shields Valley Public Schools, Box 131, Wilsall, MT 59086,
406-578-2176
Springdale Elementary, Box 102, Springdale, MT 59082,
406-932-6704

Per Capita Personal Income

	1970	1980	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Montana	\$3,558	\$8,842	\$15,067	\$16,005	\$16,618	\$17,709	\$17,709	\$18,602	\$19,278
% of National Average	87%	88%	79%	81%	81%	83%	80%	80%	79%
Park County	\$3,209	\$8,699	\$12,687	\$13,862	\$14,452	\$15,462	\$16,328	\$17,091	\$17,613
% of National Average	79%	86%	66%	70%	70%	72%	74%	73%	72%

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information System. Released May 1998.

Park Employment By Industry* Annual Averages 1997

Industry	# of Estab- lish- ments	Average Annual Employ- ment	Annual Wages Paid
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	784	5,272	\$91,433,851
PRIVATE BUSINESS	722	4,532	\$74,914,608
AGRI, FORESTRY, FISH	24	107	\$1,794,558
Agn Production/Livestock	12	82	\$1,300,831
Agriculture Services	10	25	\$433,927
MINING	4	38	\$1,264,871
Mining & Quarrying of Nonmetallic	3	9	\$100,859
CONSTRUCTION	101	301	\$8,198,832
General Building	39	98	\$1,890,948
Heavy Construction	4	18	\$488,558
Special Trade	58	184	\$4,041,027
MANUFACTURING	38	504	\$12,301,536
Food Products	3	20	\$525,859
Lumber	12	33	\$714,878
Printing-Publishing	8	77	\$1,299,418
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	3	21	\$280,158
TRANS., COMMUN., UTILITIES	24	152	\$3,954,395
Trucking-Warehousing	8	58	\$1,488,504
Transport Services	4	10	\$158,335
Communication	5	21	\$543,994
Elec., Gas, Sanitation	5	49	\$1,878,485
WHOLESALE TRADE	35	153	\$2,882,851
Durable Goods	16	42	\$1,311,254
Nondurable Goods	16	111	\$1,561,897
RETAIL TRADE	177	1,359	\$14,583,118
Bldg Materials-Garden	9	44	\$745,180
General Merchandise	4	89	\$755,874
Food Stores	14	213	\$2,724,002
Auto Dealers-Service Stations	23	195	\$3,284,138
Apparel & Accessories	7	19	\$183,838
Furniture Stores	7	19	\$251,316
Eating & Drinking	65	654	\$4,800,373
Miscellaneous Retail	45	144	\$2,078,397
FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE	54	220	\$4,336,171
Banking	5	82	\$2,003,882
Security & Commodity	4	13	\$842,359
Insurance Agents	8	7	\$75,486
Real Estate	33	78	\$988,159
SERVICES	263	1895	\$27,586,894
Hotels & Lodging	41	833	\$7,900,058
Personal Services	15	85	\$884,807
Business Services	23	48	\$887,825
Auto Repair Services	12	43	\$785,390
Miscellaneous Repair Services	9	44	\$875,081
Motion Pictures	8	20	\$488,779
Amusement & Recreation	36	88	\$1,157,838
Health Services	21	449	\$10,445,057
Legal Services	11	35	\$829,448
Educational Services	5	35	\$421,819
Social Services	18	125	\$1,375,455
Membership Organizations	11	23	\$157,236
Engineering Services	25	42	\$1,127,906
Private Households	17	24	\$253,467
GOVERNMENT	42	740	\$8,519,043
State	11	48	\$1,123,882
Local	18	609	\$12,747,440
Federal	13	84	\$2,647,741

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(Totals may not add due to rounding.)

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Park County 1990 Census of Population and Housing Persons by Age, Race and Sex												
Eskimo/Aleut/ American Asian or Pacific												
<i>School Age</i>	White		Black		Indian		Islander		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
5-11	1,516	748	10	4	17	5	9	5	31	15	15	9
12-14	554	247	3	3	9	3	4	2	22	12	9	4
15-17	502	245	1	1	7	3	2	0	8	4	2	1
18-21	470	239	0	0	11	4	2	2	1	1	0	0
Total	3,042	1,479	14	8	44	15	17	9	80	32	28	14
Eskimo/Aleut/ American Asian or Pacific												
<i>Working & Voting Age</i>	White		Black		Indian		Islander		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
16+	10,984	5,729	49	30	73	32	50	31	159	91	53	29
16-64	8,698	4,402	48	29	71	31	47	30	154	88	52	28
18+	10,861	5,574	49	30	69	31	48	31	154	88	52	29
18-64	8,375	4,247	48	29	67	30	45	30	149	85	51	28
Eskimo/Aleut/ American Asian or Pacific												
<i>Other Age Group</i>	White		Black		Indian		Islander		Hispanic Origin		Other Race	
	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female	Total	Female
0-4	994	475	8	2	11	2	8	3	19	11	8	5
5-17	2,572	1,240	14	8	33	11	15	7	59	31	28	14
18-44	5,584	2,806	33	17	53	25	33	22	117	65	40	23
45-64	2,791	1,441	15	12	14	5	12	8	32	19	11	5
62+	2,691	1,527	4	3	4	2	5	2	8	5	1	1
65+	2,286	1,327	1	1	2	1	3	1	5	3	1	1
Total	14,227	7,289	69	40	113	44	69	41	232	130	84	48
Source: Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT 59620, 406-444-2896.												

Park County			
County of Residence	# Who Work in Park County	County of Work	# Who Live in Park County
Out of State	27	Out of State	332
Big Horn County	17	Dawson County	12
Broadwater County	18	Gallatin County	278
Gallatin County	300	Lewis & Clark County	10
Park County	5,500	Park County	5,500
Stillwater County	12	Stillwater County	18
Sweet Grass County	26	Sweet Grass County	39
Yellowstone County	43	Yellowstone County	40
Other Montana Counties	37	Other Montana Counties	20

Source: 1990 Census Data provided by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.